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MORE NOLAN STORIES.

The West Has Many Tales to Tell of the Late Patrick J.

On one occasion, a number of years ago, when Southern Alberta was more of a ranching country than it is today, cattle "rustlers" or thieves were numerous along the border, and the Mounted Police of the Macleod District decided to clean them out. A dozen or more persons, some caught red-handed, some of whose guilt there was little doubt, though positive proof was lacking, and others merely suspected, were arrested and brought to Macleod for trial. The prosecutor was Mr. M. Mackenzie, now Provincial Treasurer of Alberta, while the defence, in the case of most of the prisoners, was in the hands of the late P. J. Nolan, the widely-known Calgary lawyer.

"Paddy" fought valiantly for his clients, but the evidence against them was overwhelming. One by one, eight of them, men and women, were convicted and sentenced to terms in the Stony Mountain Penitentiary, some for stealing cattle, others for perjury. Two more, defended by another lawyer, were placed on trial and quickly convicted. "Paddy" was in court, and when the judge paused before passing sentence, he asked leave to speak. "Is your lordship aware," he asked, "that you can obtain better terms from the railroad and save money for the country if you can make up a party of ten for the little Manitoba town?"

It was in the same court that Mr. Nolan asked that the witnesses of the opposing side be excluded during examination. Among the witnesses was a very small man, clerk to the opposing counsel. He had taken an important part in preparing the case, and his principal wished to have his assistance. He therefore asked the judge to allow his clerk to remain. The judge referred the matter to Mr. Nolan. "Paddy" had the clerk stand up. For a moment his eyes traveled from the head to the feet of the little man and back again. Then he turned to the bench.

"My lord," he said, "it is a well-known maxim that the law takes no notice of small things. The young man may remain."

A story of Mr. Nolan's prowess at the bar is told in Edmonton. It seems that one of the parties to a horse trade had become dissatisfied with his bargain, and sought through the courts to recover the horse he had bartered away. "Paddy" was engaged as counsel for the defence. The chief witness for the plaintiff was a "horse doctor" who went into the witness box and swore that the animal the plaintiff had received was suffering from all manner of diseases and had little if any value.

"Paddy" cross-questioned carefully on the symptoms of the various diseases which the witness had mentioned. Then he suggested a disease himself, drawing out a formidable Greek word, "Leptosporangium."

Yes, the witness knew it perfectly, and he proceeded to describe the symptoms with great circumstantiality. He made it out a dreadful disease, contagious, deadly to man and beast. "Paddy" led him on and on, suggesting symptoms and having the witness accept or reject them. At length, when the "horse doctor" was quite hopelessly lost in the maze he had himself created at the lawyer's bidding, "Paddy" dragged him forth, a discredited witness, explaining to the court that the horrible malady which had been described to them with such detail was a harmless, common fern.

100,000 May Come.

A jump of from 1,603 new arrivals during the month of February, to 5,522 for the month just closed is the showing made in British immigration to the Province of Ontario. The total number of British immigrants who have come to this province so far this year is approximately 10,000—nearly double the number that came here during the same period last year.

The reason of the big increase is said to be mainly due to the fact that farming in Ontario has taken a forward step during the past year, owing to the introduction of intensive farming, and the consequent big demand, and high wages which the farmers of this province are willing to pay for help.

Not only has the immigration record for the first three months of last year been doubled, but all indications point to the same increase over last year being maintained right through until the end of the season.

The Oldest Civil Servant.

The death occurred recently at his daughter's residence, Arlington, N.Y., of A. George Taylor, the oldest man in the service of the Dominion Government. He was 83 years of age and entered the Government service in 1849. He retired three years ago on superannuation.

Mr. Taylor was born in Toronto and, as a young man, went to Quebec. He returned to Toronto, and then, when the seat of Government removed to Ottawa, he removed to that city. He was in Montreal when the Parliament Buildings there were burned.

Mr. Taylor was decorated by the late King Edward with the Imperial Service Order. Two sons, Frank, in Toronto, and Dr. Mervyn, of Philadelphia, and one daughter, Miss Florence, at Arlington, N.Y., survive. His wife died three years ago.

Big Catch of Seals.

With a catch of 36,000 seals, the steamer Stephens returned a few days ago, the first of the sealing fleet operators in Newfoundland waters to report. She brought news that the Nascope had 2,000 fish, the Florizel 22,000, the Sazona 23,000, the Eagle 12,000, the Bella Ventura 10,000, the Bonaventura 8,000, and the Adventure 7,000. Others of the fleet had poor luck.

Advices from the four ships sealing in the Gulf of St. Lawrence showed that the catch was good.

A PROGRESSIVE FARMER

The following write-up of farming methods pursued by Mr. W. M. Bass of Newboro appeared in the Ottawa Valley Journal:

Pure-bred cattle are in such great demand all the time that it is almost impossible for the average farmer to see his way clear to get into the running. In many instances this is due to the fact that he is not willing to start on a small scale and work up his own herd from a small foundation stock which he can secure when young at a reasonable figure. Mr. W. M. Bass of Leeds county, probably furnished as good an example as any of how the small farmer can build up a pure-bred herd by starting in a small way. Mr. Bass started his herd a few years ago with but one male and two females, all calves. Of course he bought them at a very reasonable figure at that age but it was not long till they were producing milk and their young stock were thriving where his foundation stock had been. By changing his sire occasionally, from those two females he has now in his stable seventeen fine pure-bred milch cows which he values very highly.

Mr. Bass is an admirer of the Ayrshires, probably more because his land is well adapted to them. He has an abundance of rough pasturage where the Ayrshire breed is quite at home. Though his herd is right extensive now, he is still hanging on to most of his young heifers. There is a great demand for them and very often the prices offer a great temptation to dispose of them and thus drop the good work of building up the home herd.

The silo plays an important part in the feeding of this dairymen, and a structure of 175 tons capacity is used. To fill this Mr. Bass always provides ten acres of corn, though two acres extra are always grown for fall feeding while green. He always ploughs his corn ground out of sod in the fall, and takes one crop of corn from it. He fall ploughs again and seeds down with clover and grasses with a nurse crop of oats. He leaves it in meadow for two years and breaks again. This rotation viz., corn, oats, and two years hay, or a four year rotation, Mr. Bass finds very satisfactory. He seldom applies his manure till he is seeding down after the corn crop has been harvested.

Spreading the manure on the snow is his favorite method of applying the fertilizer. In his opinion it is just as valuable put on in this way and then it may be done when the labor is cheapest and the work is easy. Thorough cultivation receives attention and seed is never dropped in the land till it has received four strokes of the disc and one stroke of the tooth harrow.

Mr. Bass does not altogether advocate rolling except on certain fields where the small stones are too numerous to pick off and the roller is applied to put them out of the way of the machinery. Barred rock fow are the favorites on this farm, and some very fine birds are to be found in the flock of forty. The birds are kept down to two years of age at least. The male bird is always disposed of just as soon as the hatching season is over. In this way a change in the male birds is made every year, which in the opinion of many is very expensive. Mr. Bass solves this problem of getting his next male bird by buying a setting of eggs from some well known breeder and with the average luck with his hatch he will surely have one male bird which he may keep for breeding purposes next season.

The pork industry also receives considerable attention, though not carried on very extensively. Mr. Bass finds that there is money in pork if raised in the proper way, and as a result feeds about twenty pigs every year. His favorite breed is the Tamworth, he finds the most money in them when let go for pork, though he sells a few young ones for breeding purposes. The cheapest feed he has ever found to produce pork is corn and mangolds with very little sicc. For his brood sows the feed consists mostly of roots till just near the time to farrow when he changes it to shorts, not too sloppy. His young pigs he generally weans when about five or six weeks old and then puts them on shorts and whey. He finds it best not to feed too heavy at first and gradually bring them to the root diet.

GOOD RICH MILK

The critical consumer of milk may give a snap verdict on the glass of 'good rich milk' given him in a restaurant or at home, and may vaguely wonder what percentage of fat the milk is supposed to contain. Certain standards of richness are fixed by various countries, and by municipalities, while some purchasing companies and dealers also set a standard below which the milk must not fall.

The knowledge of the average test of the herd, interesting as it is, is not as valuable to the progressive dairymen as a knowledge of what each cow's milk tests. Whether it is 2.9, 3.4, 4.5 or 5.6 per cent of fat depends on various factors, and can only be ascertained after systematic sampling and testing. Such testing sometimes results in a few cows being set aside as 'poor milk' and reserved for table use was recently discarded by a farmer when cow-testing proved to his dismay

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that her milk was nearly the poorest in the herd.

The average test of the herd is a vital matter to every dairymen whose milk is paid for at the cheese factory by the test; it is of decided importance to both creamery manager and patron when considering the by-product of skim-milk for feeding, and the loaded wagon for the cream-hauler. For two lots each of 16,500 pounds of normal milk may contain either 500 or 900 pounds of fat; one lot is scarcely the best for cheesemaking, while the other would be 'good rich milk.'

Medical Appointments

The following former students of Athens High School, recent graduates in medicine at Queen's University, have been given these appointments: Hotel Dieu, Kingston—Dr. E. L. Stone. Hospital for Insane, Mimico—Dr. A. B. Earl, for permanent staff. St. Boniface hospital, St. Boniface, Man.—Dr. A. B. Simes. Eastern Hospital, Brockville—Dr. James Mackie.

PLUM HOLLOW

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs M Stevens on Thursday last.

The Baptist church is being repainted and shingled.

On Friday evening the ladies met and gave Miss Carl a notion shower in honor of her approaching marriage on Wednesday next.

Mr Ross Kilborn, student at the A. H. S., spent Sunday at his home here.

Reports say Plum Hollow is to lose two of her fair maidens in the near future.

A SUDDEN DEATH

A sad surprise awaited Miss Clemy Wood on her return from church on Sunday night. Her mother, who had been an invalid for several years, was on that day apparently as well as usual, but on entering their home on Elgin street Miss Wood found her mother sitting in a chair and resting her head on a table. She thought at first that her mother had fallen asleep or had fainted, but on trying to arouse her made the awful discovery that her mother was dead. Dr. Moore was summoned, but the vital spark had fled.

Mr and Mrs Alex Wood came here from Lyndhurst about nine years ago, and shortly after Mr Wood was taken ill and was removed to Brockville where he died. Mrs Wood returned to Lyndhurst, but later she has been living here with her daughter.

To mourn her loss, Mrs Wood leaves three daughters, Clemy, Cora and Katie, and in their sudden and sore bereavement they have the heart felt sympathy of their many friends.

NEW MARRIAGE LAW

On Thursday the provisions of the recent amendments to the Marriage Act came into force. Hereafter it will not be possible for parties who are desirous of entering into the blissful state to procure a license without one of the pair having resided in the district for at least fifteen days prior to the date of the issue. This provision can be overcome if a notice

of the application for license is advertised in a local paper once a week for three weeks preceding the application, and, failing that, the Registrar-General may waive these provisions if the circumstances warrant such procedure.

Under the new law parties coming from distant parts and meeting at any specified place, like Gananoque, may secure the issuance of a license upon application to the Department, if the facts are properly established. But the amendments will seriously affect the business of marrying persons at border towns, as unless good cause is shown, runaway couples will have difficulty in getting the necessary license that will comply with all the provisions of the law of Ontario.

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